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Subject: RE: LINK Unlimited Scholars Luncheon

Good Morning Steve: I am reporting on my attendance at the 13th Annual LINK Business Council Luncheon on Thursday, January 30, 2020, per our policy and instructions for invitations. The event was a recognition event for the LINK Unlimited mentors and corporate sponsors of LINK Unlimited students.

It was sponsored by the Winston & Strawn law firm, the host for all 13 years. There were several business and civic leaders among the approximately 200 attendees assembled at the firm's offices.

I was a guest of Ashley Floyd, VP of Advancement, LINK Unlimited. The ticket cost of the event for the public is \$175.00; the keynote speaker was Mayor Lori Lightfoot, who gave an impassioned presentation about leadership and perseverance which was very well received by the participants. Jonathan Swain, CEO, LINK Unlimited is also a longtime contact and constituent of mine.

A lunch of chicken, beef, salad, pasta, and crudité vegetables was provided for each attendee.

"A society grows great when old men plant trees whose shade they know they shall never sit in."

Words from a Greek Proverb often delivered by Burnel E. Coulon (Ad Astra per Aspera)

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